

WACO, TEXAS, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1916

# FLAMES DESTROY CANADIAN PARLIAMENT HOUSE AT OTTAWA

## Two Guests of Speaker's Wife, Several Policemen and Firemen and Leading Dominion Statesmen Among Victims of Conflagration. Explosion Precedes Fire.

**BUILDING VALUED AT ABOUT \$5,000,000**

**Gas Bomb or Infernal Machine Believed Cause—Montreal Firemen Come to Aid in Work, But at 1 o'Clock This Morning Fire Was Still Raging—Books in Library May Be Saved.**

## Library May Be Saved.

(By the Associated Press.)

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 4.—The historic Canadian parliament building was destroyed last night by a fire declared unofficially to have been caused by the explosion of a gas bomb or an infernal machine. Two women, guests of the wife of Speaker Seavigny, were overcome by smoke and perished. Several policemen and firemen were buried under debris when the end of the building collapsed. The east foot of the chamber was Col. John Currie, who commanded the Fourth regiment of the Canadian militia, through the battle of St. Julien, 1914. He was engaged with asphyxiating gas. Colonel Currie at once organized into a fire brigade members of the house, telegraph operators and police attendants, who manned several lines of emergency hose. The fire spread across the floor without apparent fire doors, and was driven back by the terrific heat.

Colonel George Bradburn, a member from Manitoba, Fredric Martin, mayor of Montreal and a Liberal member of the

Persons taken to hospital had not been determined early this morning.

Frederick F. Pardee, chief liberal whip, and William S. Loggie, a member of parliament from New Brunswick, are missing and it is expected they have lost their lives.

It has been established that the first burst of fire from the reading room to the house of commons was caused by at least one explosion and probably two. The force of the concussion was so great that persons standing some distance away were thrown on the floor. A rigid investigation to determine the cause of the fire already has been undertaken by the Dominion authorities.

The flames spread with such amazing rapidity that the Ottawa fire brigade was helpless to cope with the fire. Aid was sent to Montreal on a special train, but at 1 o'clock this morning the fire still was raging.

The cost cannot be estimated in money. The loss of the parliament and Constable Helmer, a guard, were a sacrifice to the reading room when the fire broke out. It is asserted that it began with an explosion in the reading room with flames and burning spreading to the floors.

The force of the explosion was so great that all three men were thrown out of the room. In their opinion an explosive bomb or an automatic machine was responsible for the fire.

Mrs. Seigny, wife of the speaker, her two children and other guests on the same floor as the chamber and adjacent to the cut off from safety by a wall of flame.

**Saved by Life Nets.**

When the firemen reached Parliament Hill they saw Mrs. Seigny standing at a window.

A life net was spread and in her arms the speaker's wife dropped her children. They were safely into the net.

Mrs. Seigny's husband, Hon. J. D. Bracy, Montreal; Mme. Morin, Beauce, Quebec; Hon. J. G. Bessault, who leaped into a life net.

about \$50,000,000, but the contents are of inestimable value. There was no insurance.

**May Save Library.**

At midnight the commons and senate chambers had been destroyed and the great clock boomed out the hour. Flames were swirling in the "parlour,"

the speaker's room they found. Miss Gray and Miss Morin unconscious. They were taken from the building and physicians applied plasters in vain. After a half hour the women were pronounced dead.

The flames from the burning parliament building were seen two miles away at Rideau Hall, the residence of the king.

not lower and lock in their way to its top. The parliamentary library at the top probably will be saved. Soldiers were assigned to carry out its contents.

Members of parliament, spectators in the gallery of the lower house, government employees and others who were crowded in the narrow escape route were injured. Within a few minutes after the fire began corridors were filled with smoke and at many points flames barred progress. There were many doors to the great building, but once the outbreak of the war all except the main portals have been closed to safeguard the legislators. This precaution made escape more difficult and probably was responsible for the

death of the governor general of Canada, all of whom are wounded officials evacuated from the front, and were unable to give any assistance. The governor general sat in his closed car and watched the destruction of the historic building, the cornerstone of which was laid in 1857 by his father, King Edward VII, then Prince of Wales.

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## WEATHER

SOME OF OUR  
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...the Morin of Beauport, Montreal and one of the sons of the speaker's suite.

Mme. Sevigny saved her two children by dropping them into a fireman's safety net and then leaped to safety herself. Another of her guests, Mme. Dussault, saved herself in the same way.

Among those severely burned was Minister of Agriculture Burrell, who lay unconscious after plunging through a curtain of fire and groping his way along a smoke-filled corridor.

**Flames Spread Rapidly.**

The flames spread rapidly and many legislators had difficulty in finding their way through the dense smoke that filled the corridors.

Minister Burrell, minister of agriculture, was severely burned about the head and Dr. Michel Flaherty,

A woman who has not been identified jumped from the second story of the building and was severely injured. Several persons who were overcome with smoke were taken to hospitals. Sir Robert Borden, the minister, escaped safely.


Part of the roof over the reading room and chamber collapsed soon after the fire was discovered. The reading room is situated at the northeastern corner of the commons chamber.

Mayor Martin of Montreal, a member of parliament, has ordered the central fire brigade to this city.

One hour after the fire was discovered the glass rose over the commons chamber fell and it appeared that the handsome Gothic structure was doomed. The fire developed and spread with such rapidity that the chief was expressed by officials that the loss was incendiary origin.

**Only Few in Chamber.**

Then Speaker Seavigny took the chair and opened the session of the house at 8 o'clock, only about fifty members were in their seats. A discussion relating to fisheries was prolonged when a member proposed that



**VOLUNTARY FORECAST.**

By Isidor Block, D. O. S., F. R. Met. S.,  
Optician and Meteorologist.

Fair and warmer.

The above forecast is indicated by the continued eastward movement of the high pressure area which gave us the recent cold weather.

**Local Readings.**

Readings for the twenty-four hours ending at 7 o'clock last night: Maximum temperature 49 at 5 p. m.; minimum 24 at 7 a. m.; barometer 30.45; humidity 45; wind 124 miles. highest 13 miles an hour at 2:30 p. m.

**Government Forecast.**

Washington, Feb. 3.—East Texas and Oklahoma.—Friday fair, warmer; Saturday unsettled, warmer.

West Texas.—Thursday, cloudy.

men shouting, "Fire run for your lives." The members were driven back by the flames when they sought exit through the main doors. Statists in the gallery, panicked, stampeded for the exits at same time.

Minister of Agriculture Burrell was cornered as he made his way through the thickest of the smoke and fell just in front of the postoffice. He was picked up by Robert Rogers, minister of public works; Joe Reid, minister of customs, and Pierre Blondin, minister of state. It was found that his injuries were serious, he will recover.

Clark was burned while attempting to obtain his coat from a small locker in the corridors outside the chamber. These lockers are not fireproof.

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## WOMAN SO WEAK COULD NOT SLEEP

Made Well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

North Oxford, Mass.—"I had lost three children and I was all run down and so weak I could not sleep at night. My eyesight would leave me and everything I ate upset my stomach. I was very nervous and if I would start to sleep I would have to stop and lie down before I could finish. I was looking over the paper one day and read of a woman who felt as I did and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, so I took it too. Now I am proud to tell you I am feeling fine and have given birth to a boy baby. He is my 'Pinkham' baby. I keep a bottle of Compound in my house always."—Mrs. PETER MARCO, Box 54, North Oxford, Mass.

Sleeplessness, indigestion, weakness, and nervousness are symptoms which indicate a lowered vitality of the female organism, and the tonic, strengthening properties of the good old fashioned roots and herbs, contained in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, are just what is needed by every woman who is in Mrs. Marco's condition.

For free advice in regard to any annoying symptom write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass.

## MARLIN BONDS SOLD THOUGH NOT APPROVED

WHITE MAN'S PRIMARY TUESDAY. SUNDAY SHOWS WILL NOT BE VOTED ON.

City Council Decides to Appeal from Judgment in the C. L. Shaw Damage Suit.

Special to the Morning News. Marlin, Feb. 3.—The Marlin city council has made a contract with T. S. Johnson of Austin for the disposal of the bonds voted last summer which were refused the sanction of the attorney general's office, on account of some technical feature of the charter. It is understood that Mr. Johnson, who represents some bonding concern, is confident he can get the bonds approved and has undertaken the matter on that basis. Owing to the Marlin bonds being only 4 1/2 per cent interest, it is understood the balance will be settled through allowing him an attorney's fee of approximately \$8,000.

Shaw Case Will Be Appealed. Special to the Morning News. Marlin, Feb. 3.—At a secret executive session of the Marlin city council it was decided to appeal the C. L. Shaw vs. the city of Marlin personal injury damage suit, in which a verdict recently awarded the plaintiff \$750,000, but which was reversed through a fall on a Marlin sidewalk. The plaintiff's attorneys were Page Collier of Marlin and Messrs. Eason and Taylor of Waco. It is estimated the cost of appealing the case will be \$850.

## Texas & Pacific Clerks May Strike

By the Associated Press. Fort Worth, Feb. 3.—Nine hundred clerks in Texas & Pacific offices over the system are threatening to strike tomorrow because of a dispute with the officials over recognition of the union. The railway company, according to clerks and officials, too, won't recognize the union and is reported to have ordered the men to give up the union or give up their jobs. About sixty-five clerks are affected here.

Denied by Officials. By the Associated Press. Dallas, Feb. 3.—A statement from the general offices of the Texas & Pacific Railway company said that no order had been issued to clerks of any office that clerks should leave the union, when railroad officials were shown a dispatch from Fort Worth that sixty-five clerks in that office were about to strike.

The general superintendent said the road was not in the least concerned over rumors of the strikes, and that should there be such action, it would not result from any orders issued by the railroad.

Wacoans at Marlin Hotels. Special to the Morning News. Marlin, Feb. 3.—The following Waco people are registered at local hotels: R. D. Rowan, F. B. Greenhill, L. L. Gorin, Mrs. Laura Belle Hunt, Warren W. Hunt.

Gillespie County Pays Taxes. Special to the Morning News. Austin, Feb. 3.—Gillespie county holds the record for the smallest number of delinquent and unpaid taxes out of the rolls submitted from approximately 150 counties to the comptroller's department. Delinquent taxes from this county in 1914 amounted to \$11.17, of which amount \$7.43 was paid, leaving a balance of \$3.74 unpaid. Tax collector Norman Oaks expects to have a clean slate soon.

Buster Brown at Lorena. Special to the Morning News. Lorena, Feb. 3.—Buster Brown and Tigre were in town today the guests of the Lorena Mercantile company. In the forenoon E. L. Jones of the Mercantile company took them to Spring Valley, where they gave an exhibition at the school house and at 4 p. m. they gave an exhibition at the store of the Lorena Mercantile company and was given a warm reception by the school children and a large company of grown up folks.

More Endowment for Vanderbilt. By the Associated Press. Nashville, Feb. 3.—At a called meeting of the Vanderbilt university board of trustees today conditional gifts of \$700,000 for the university endowment fund were announced by Chancellor J. H. Kirkland. The condition being that \$200,000 more be raised. Of the \$700,000 conditionally pledged it was stated that \$200,000 was to come from the general education fund, and the new addition to the endowment is for the academy department.

Can Make Trip Over Trail. By the Associated Press. Minneapolis, Feb. 2.—The Yellowstone trail will be completed and in condition for automobilists to make the trip from coast to coast before the end of the present year, according to members of the Yellowstone Trail association, the annual meeting of which opened here today.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

## Texas Suffragists Plan 1917 Campaign

By the Associated Press. Dallas, Feb. 3.—Texas suffragists today decided to campaign for a vote in the state in 1917 on the question of equal suffrage for men and women. This course was determined at a meeting here of state suffrage leaders, presided over by Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham of Galveston, president of the state organization. The meeting was addressed by Miss Elizabeth Freeman of New York, organizer for the National Suffrage organization, Mrs. Cunningham and several others.

The proposed campaign will close at Austin next January, when the Thirty-fifth legislature will meet. There will be a fight for the submission of an amendment to the constitution, which would have to be voted upon by the people.

A suffrage mass meeting will be held here tonight.

Battleship Georgia in Reserve. By the Associated Press. Boston, Feb. 3.—The battleship Georgia, which has been undergoing repairs at the Charlestown navy yard, was placed in reserve today and her crew sent to Philadelphia. It was stated that there was much work to be done on the Georgia and that her men were needed for other ships.

More Pay for Cramp Employees. Philadelphia, Feb. 2.—Announcement was made today that an advance of 10 per cent in the hourly wage rates will be made in the pay of the employees of the cramp shipbuilding company and the P. P. Morris company, a subsidiary. The increase will benefit nearly 5,000 employees.

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## THE GROCERY SO DIFFERENT

## W. C. T. U. WILL GIVE ESSAY PRIZES IN LOCAL SCHOOLS

At the regular monthly business meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance union held yesterday afternoon it was decided to put on an essay contest in the local high school and award a prize to the pupil writing the best essay on "The Effects of Alcohol on the Human Body." No definite date was set for the contest, but it will probably be held in May. It was also decided to offer a prize to the winner of the state inter-collegiate prohibition oratorical contest for girls. Several Texas colleges are represented in the contest.

Reports of the various departments were read which were very gratifying. It was decided to hold the sessions of the union in the future as follows: First Thursday in every month, business session; second Thursday in every month, circle meetings; third Thursday in every month open for field work, and fourth Thursday in every month, mother and child day. The next mother and child day will be held with Circle No. 7.

## Aged Victim of Burns Improving

Despite the fact that his burns are of a serious nature, it is believed by the attending physician that S. B. Humphreys, aged 82 years, will recover. Mr. Humphreys was burned early Wednesday morning, when his night clothing caught fire as he was building a fire in the grate. His arms, shoulders and back were burned badly.

Mr. Humphreys has been a resident of Waco for many years and is well known here. He resides at Ninth and Speight streets. Immediately after he was burned he was taken to the Providence sanitarium, where he was reported to be getting along as well as could be expected at a late hour last night.

## Waco Business Man Weds in Milford

Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. McKnight, R. W. McKnight, Jr. and M. G. Gollab went to Milford last night to attend the Neill-Rosses wedding. Mr. Neill is vice president of the McKnight Sundries company, and one of the most popular young business men of Waco. Mr. and Mrs. Neill were married at Milford, N. H., on Monday, following their honeymoon.

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## CURRENT EVENTS in WOMAN'S SPHERE

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Woman's auxiliary, Columbus Street Baptist church, meets at church, 3:30 o'clock.

C. W. E. M. of Central Christian church meets with Mrs. T. D. Hays, 1511 Austin avenue, 3 o'clock.

Austin Avenue Methodist Missionary society meets at church parlors, 3:30 o'clock.

Friday Bridge plays with Mrs. Chester Story, 1118 Columbus street, 3 o'clock.

Story hour for children, public library, 4 o'clock.

Weekly dinner and dance, Huaco club, 7 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee Spencer, Twenty-fifth and Colcord, have dinner guests, 7 o'clock.

Mrs. J. W. Carroll, 603 North Seventh street, has students' piano recital, 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Forrest Goodman, Nineteenth and Clay, is hostess to bridge club, 8 o'clock.

Miss Lucile Lewis, Twelfth and Barton, is hostess for Debutante bridge, 3 o'clock.

Auxiliary Number Four meets with Mrs. J. M. Dawson, 1907 South Fifth street, 3:30 o'clock.

Auxiliary Number Three, First Baptist church, meets with Mrs. J. N. Gallagher, 2024 Austin avenue, 3 o'clock.

MRS. WILLIAM SINCLAIR FOR NEIGHBORLY NEIGHBORS

As hostess for the regular meeting of Neighborly Neighbors, Mrs. W. J. Sinclair made provision for an acceptable luncheon plate besides introducing as guests into the club Mrs. T. A. Lee, W. L. Clain, Duncan McLennan and Miss Grace Alvis from Dallas. In the study of women of the Bible, Mrs. McClain was leader.

MISS BESS LONG HOSTESS FOR GIRLS' BRIDGE CLUB

Adding one table and inviting to play at this the Mesdames Louey Miel, Libbie Lawrence, Benish of Denver, Miss Bess Long entertained the Girls' Bridge club. Miss Lilien Efron scored high for club member.

Miss Gussie Landman second, and Mrs. Louey Miel high for guests. Mrs. Rachel Strauss is hostess on next Wednesday afternoon.

MRS. A. S. HABER HOSTESS FOR WEDNESDAY MATINEE

Playing with Mrs. A. S. Haber on Wednesday, almost the full membership of the Matinee Bridge club was present. Mrs. Sidney Goldman substituted for Mrs. Louis Davidson, who continues in Saint Louis, and Mrs. Sam Sanger was invited to play the hostess' hand. In prize award, Mrs. Sanger, Mrs. Dan Wise and Mrs. Goldman, for Mrs. Davidson, scored.

PLEASURE AND PROFIT WITH MRS. W. S. RATHELL

Quite the enjoyable hour, together with pleasure of several additional guests, members of the Pleasure and Profit club, were entertained by Mrs. W. S. Rathell. During the hour of fancy work Mrs. Walter Rathell gave some violin selections; also, the home victrola was in constant use. The guests other than club were the Mesdames George Reynolds, Rose McGhee, J. F. Bailey, T. E. Peyton, E. A. Humphries, W. B. Ragland and Miss Barnes of New York.

BAYLOR ROUND TABLE WITH MISS LOUISE WILLIS

By happy coincidence, the program arranged for the Baylor Round Table on Home Economics came upon the eve of the great state Home Economics week in Austin, and in Port Worth. A paper on the subject in the abstract was read by Mrs. J. M. Evans. This was followed by the same subject from the business viewpoint led by Mrs. S. P. Brooks and followed by all the members. Miss Louise Willis was hostess, and her special guests were the Mesdames J. F. Wood, J. H. Guthrie, J. C. Caskey and Miss Ruth Wood.

MISS BONNIE THOMPSON HAS SOCIAL COURTESY

The return visit of Miss Bonnie Thompson from Paris to Miss Bessie Byrd Burleson has met with social attention from former friends. Miss May Bell Wood afforded a delightful little Hippodrome party with afternoon luncheon in her own home. In addition to Miss Thompson, the guests were the Mesdames Bessie Byrd Burleson, Roberta Rogers, Tilman of Tennessee, Lucile Gooch and Sallie Keith.

For Monday evening, Miss Lucile Gooch has invited a dozen or more friends to spend the evening with Miss Thompson in her home.

MRS. E. F. KAVANAUGH FOR MRS. STORY FOWLER

In compliment to the visitor of the week, Mrs. Story Fowler, Mrs. E. F. Kavanaugh added a cozy little bridge game for Wednesday. Also, it was the pleasure of Mrs. Kavanaugh to introduce her own guest, Mrs. J. M. McFarland, North Carolina. Following the game, Mrs. House entertained with music, both voice and piano. In substitute for the consolation, Mrs. Kavanaugh provided a bud vase holding carnation and fern for each table, the cuts awarded these to the Mesdames J. N. McFarland, Clarence Hubby, and Ed Laughlin. Honorary favors were presented, and a piece of late fiction fell to Mrs. Lon Sparks for leading in the score.

C. W. E. M. PROGRAM FOR THIS AFTERNOON

As announced in the calendar, the

C. W. E. M. holds monthly session this afternoon. The order of program is:

Subject, "India." "Possibilities for Work in India," leader, Mrs. Ed Smith.

Prayer, Mrs. R. W. Spinson. Business session. Scripture lesson, Mrs. R. S. Vaughn. Map talk, Mrs. T. M. Hays. Paper, "Woman in India," Mrs. McNulty.

"Review of Forty Years' Service," Mrs. A. C. Dever. Round table, subject, "Our Opportunities in India," leader, Mrs. W. S. Blackshear.

Subtopics: "Evangelical," Mrs. A. Carpenter. "Zanana," Mrs. M. L. Winans. "Medical," Mrs. F. M. Thwinings. "Benevolent," Mrs. F. M. Compton. Hymn, "Something for Jesus," Mesdames Roy Jacobs and Frank Stepiens.

"Natural Preparedness," Mrs. Stagner. Song, "America." Prayer and benediction. During the social hour, Mrs. Aubrey Meador will sing.

MRS. CHARLES ANDERSON HAS INFORMAL TEA

The visit of her mother, Mrs. T. G. Hawkins, from Hillsboro for the week, together with the early departure of Mrs. Donald Clark for her home in Kansas City, inspired Mrs. Anderson, who added to her neighbors a few friends from her former neighborhood. The guest list is, the Mesdames Lucile Lewis, Kate Friend, Ada Risher, Beckett of Hillsboro, Nell Symes, Ruth Blair, Hattie Darrow, Nettie Darrow, Isabel Edmond, with the Mesdames Julia Henry, H. K. Brewer, Jesse Penix, W. M. Foster, Hafer, Simi Lewis, Albert Moore, K. H. Ayresworth, H. C. Lindsey, T. A. Blair, Beckett, Story Meyer, W. E. Speil, J. R. Milam, Holloway Smith, Albert Clifton, W. D. Lacy, Araminta Branson, Homer Wilson, W. C. Ricater, Euclid Cox, Louis Stephens, G. B. Foscoe and J. H. Coffield.

MRS. JOHN SLEEPER FOR WEDNESDAY CLUB

It was quite the gracious courtesy which Mrs. John Sleeper paid to the Wednesday Euchre club, and every member of the club appreciated it. Invited several times during the winter to take a hand within the club, it was evidence of pleasure enjoyed that Mrs. Sleeper should ask for this special game. She confined guests to the club, inviting only a very few to take hands of absent members. Thus the spirited round among the four tables was amusement for the allotted time. The interruption brought a delicious two-course table luncheon and the presentation of game favors. The consolation called for cut after cut before the final triumph was made by Mrs. J. E. Allison. Mrs. W. W. Pryor led the score over Mrs. W. W. Seley by just two points. Dainty little touches of growing plant and dining table with Tiffany vase, marked the presence of guests: Mrs. R. M. Killough was assistant hostess. Mrs. Sleeper entertained Miss Kate Friend with the Mesdames George Hunter Smith, Holloway Smith, H. Holderman, Harvey Richey, W. D. Seley, J. E. Allison, J. S. Hill, J. D. Williamson, W. J. Seale, Herbert and Albert Tolson, Hugh McLendon, S. E. Stratton, E. F. Drake, Charles Hamilton, J. D. Willis, William Talley, A. C. Cowan, Peyton Randle, W. W. Pryor, Frank

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Religious school meets on Sunday morning at 10.

Y. M. H. A. meets on Sunday afternoon at 5.

African ostriches are dying of famine.



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Pearl Buttons, regular 5c dozen, 2 dozen for, 7c

Peacock Collar Supports, 2 5c sets for, 7c

German Silver and Celluloid Thimbles, 2 for, 7c

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924 Washington Street.

The subject of the sermon tonight will be "The Sixth Commandment." The recent occurrences in Chicago make this subject timely and especially interesting. This as nothing else illustrates the way moral concepts change. The question that particularly interests us is whether the change is justified.



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**A GOOD TIME TO BUILD.**

There are two or three new business buildings going up in Waco just now and we believe it is a good time for persons who intend to build homes or make other improvements on their premises to begin work in that direction. Both money and material are cheaper than usual, and labor can be had on more advantageous terms than at crowded periods of the year, due to the fact that there are a number of persons who are anxious to work but have not found all they can do for several months past. We would not take advantage of the laboring man and force him to accept less than a living wage because of the multitude of laborers, but there are so many workmen now desiring employment that many of them would be willing to take jobs at a figure that would mean much toward the support of their families and yet represent a saving to the man who has work for which he must employ help.

Spring will be here within a few more weeks and work always opens up then, but there are competent workmen with families to support who would be glad to have work now and the man who has work to be done and which he expects to have done some time this year can save money for himself and help some fellow man needing a job by having it done now. And this applies to interior as well as to exterior work.

## TO EDUCATE THE PEONS.

Roughly speaking, there are—or there were at the close even of the Diaz regime—12,000,000 illiterate peons in Mexico. General Carranza has set out to free the intellect of the peon, says the Christian Science Monitor. Incidental to his plan was the dispatching of the constitutionalist government to the United States, not long ago, of a body of students who are to be taught, under auspices not to be found in Mexico, how to teach. No fewer than 150 of such students are in training in Boston and vicinity today. This is but a single company of a regiment in the army of enlightened native instructors that is to raise the 12,000,000 peons, slowly perhaps, yet surely, if Carranza's purpose shall be carried on, out of ignorance and poverty.

The old order has had away extending over centuries. Its failure has been tragically established in our times. If Mexico is ever to be lifted permanently out of chronic misrule and misery it must be through the lifting of the masses of its people out of darkness. The peon must be made to understand that he is a man. Carranza sees that he can be brought to this realization only through widespread and untrammeled public education, and, seeing this, he is working toward the greatest revolution that Mexico has ever known, the clever Texan's hat.

Now that the senate has voted to give the Philippines freedom within the next four years, possibly congress will be able to do something toward lessening the burden of the married men of the United States proper.

Houston hanged a negro the other day for the murder of a constable and is preparing to hang a white man for the murder of his wife. Truly, it begins to appear there may be some hope for Houston.

"A sphinx in a soft hat" is said to be the manner in which Paris characterizes E. M. House, the president's special emissary to Europe. But the Parisians do not dare intimate that there is anything soft immediately under.

It may be that the little earthquake that was felt at Schenectady Wednesday was just a little tremor preparatory to a political shake-up in the Empire state.

## CONSTRUCTIVE RURAL CREDIT.

No more encouraging news item has appeared in these columns recently than that one from College Station yesterday, telling of the agreement between the members of the Red Springs Farmers' club of Smith county and the People's Guarantee State bank of Tyler, whereby the farmers holding membership in the club will be able to borrow money from the bank for the purpose of making this year's crop at 8 per cent per annum on the condition that each applicant for a loan shall be approved by the finance committee of the club and that 10 per cent of each loan be set apart as a guaranty fund to indemnify the bank against loss.

Writers on rural credits, members of congress and others have proposed various measures for the relief of the American farmer along the general lines of the rural credit system in Europe, but these all contemplate a lien upon the homestead or other land on which the farming operations or other improvements are to be carried on, and here two snags are struck, when an attempt is made to apply such a system to Texas: First, the natural opposition to mortgages on the part of farmers; and, second, the provisions of the Texas homestead law which make the creation of such obligations against the homestead impossible.

One of the striking merits of the Red Springs plan is that by relieving the bank of the necessity of making its own investigations into the character of the risk—this function being performed by the finance committee of the farmers' club—the money can be had not only more readily than ordinarily, but more cheaply. For the guaranty fund is ample, in the opinion of the bankers, to eliminate all risk, and the belief is expressed that after this plan has become more thoroughly established the percentage of each loan to be set apart to the guaranty fund can be reduced. There is every reason to believe, too, that the losses on the loans to the individual members of the club will be very small for as every farmer holding membership in the club is personally interested in seeing that every borrower meets his obligations, co-operation and assistance will be offered any member who, by reason of peculiar circumstances, might find difficulty in doing so. And the responsibility upon the finance committee is such that only trustworthy men will be recommended to the bank for loans.

But this year's experiment will be the stepping stone to something better if the plans of the club materialize. It is proposed at the end of the year when the accounts with the bank are closed to organize a rural credit union and have each borrower take membership therein to the extent of his shares remaining in the guaranty fund, for if there are no losses to the bank then the members of the club get back their whole contribution to the guaranty fund. This would give, it is estimated, an initial capital of nearly \$1,000, and loans will be made to those farmers only who have stock in the credit union equivalent to 10 per cent of the amount applied for. It is believed that by following this method the union will within a few years have gathered sufficient capital to finance all its members, and that the members will have become so independent that they will no longer have to borrow money for operating expenses during the year, but only for development purposes.

These Smith county farmers are determined to get rid of the mortgage and credit systems and we are glad they have hit upon this scheme. We are pleased, too, that Judge Lindsey, president of the bank that has shown its willingness to co-operate with the farmers, has seen the opportunity to render them a useful service. The plan has been aided materially by the extension service of A. and M. College and we hope other communities will avail themselves of the services of the college authorities in forming similar clubs, for the plan beats borrowing money at usurious rates of interest and is a great advance over the system of paying 100 per cent interest on deferred payments for goods bought on credit, as many farmers in East Texas and elsewhere are being forced to do.

Yes, Theodosia. It is true that the recent freeze killed a good portion of the regular Texas oat crop, but that is no reason why your Johnny love should insist on sowing a crop of wild oats this season.

Adelle Blood, the actress, values her hair at \$50,000 and has it insured for this amount. Inasmuch as she says it is her fortune we presume she does not place much value upon her brain.

Teddy will throw forty fits if the Colombian treaty, as it now stands before the senate, shall be finally passed. But from our viewpoint Colombia is entitled to that much consideration and then some.

There were some who thought it was really cold in Texas this week, but up in Minnesota some of the railroad engines froze to the tracks.

Save first; after that thrift will help you to place your accumulations to advantage, says the Financial World.

## ONLY ONE CASE OF CONTAGIOUS DISEASE NOW EXISTS IN CITY

Only one case of contagious disease exists in the city, according to the weekly report of the municipal health department, filed yesterday. Since the near epidemic of typhoid and scarlet fever last fall, the number of cases of contagious disease has been constantly decreased by the application of strict quarantine and disinfecting measures. The one case of scarlet fever existing at present in the city will soon be released from quarantine.

## Methods Employed by Furniture Fixer Not Approved by Courts

An erstwhile mender of broken furniture, or several of them, has, or have, been operating in Waco for some time. The plan pursued was a simple one. For example, a folding bed was secured from the home of a woman on Webster street, worth about \$5, was carried to North Fifth street trustfully along a valuable chair to go to the supposed repairer.

Officers were unable to find where the missing property had gone or who had taken it away. But none of it ever returned.

Along about January 27 a man drove up to the home of C. Wright on South Fifth street, and told a Mexican student, who was at the house at the time, that Mr. Wright had sent him after a chair to mend. A rocking chair, worth about \$5, was carried away. And it never returned.

The Mexican described the man and Mr. Wright suspected that he knew him. He went to John Donahoe, the latter admitted having taken the chair. Still it did not return.

Wright referred the matter to the county attorney's office. Donahoe was arrested, and was fined \$5 yesterday in the county court.

It was only because he had a wife and child dependent upon him and the fact that he had never been arrested before that caused Assistant County Attorney John B. Atkinson to let him off with such a small fine. He recommended that Donahoe be punished lightly and County Judge George N. Denton followed the recommendation.

## Herbert Brenon One of Greatest Directors

Herbert Brenon, director of the William Fox production, "The Ruling Passion," made in Jamaica, and who is also directing the \$1,000,000 Annette Kellerman picture in Jamaica for the same producer, shows a consideration for the people working under him than any other director in photoplay. A bond of sympathy exists between Mr. Brenon, his staff and the players, and this is much of his success attributable.

"Creditable work cannot be done when there is discord in the ranks of the workers," says Mr. Brenon. "Harmony and unity of purpose are even more indispensable to success in the field of artistic endeavor than they are in the field of business. And harmony among a force of photoplayers can only be assured by treating the individual members, from the highest salaried star to the lowest salaried stage helper, with consideration."

"I have made it a point never to ask an artist to do an extraordinary thing unless I was absolutely sure of doing it myself. I learned this lesson early in my career when I was a trifle severe with an actor who could not ride a horse exactly as I wished. He complained about the animal's fiery temper. To prove to him that he was wrong, I got on the horse myself. He was right, very much right. I reflected, as I lay in a hospital for two weeks."

After the breakfast address the president spoke to a crowd of about 15,000 in the coliseum.

Thousands Turned Away.

An hour before the time set for the president to speak the hall was crowded. The crowd at the doors choked the streets. Many thousands were turned away.

Five hundred policemen and three hundred firemen kept the crowd in order. The coliseum was decked out with bunting and streamers of green vines which radiated in festoons from the center of the roof. City employees were dismissed for the day. A school chorus of 1500, tucked away in a corner, sang national airs.

As the president entered the crowd cheered wildly. The band stilled the applause with the strains of "The Star Spangled Banner." The words of the songs came from the big chorus, the audience caught the air. The whole gathering, with countless small flags fluttering, stood and sang, the president joining in. The president spoke as follows:

Mr. Chairman and fellow citizens: I came out into the middle west to find something, and I found it. I was told in Washington that middle west had a different feeling from the port of Texas and the country that lie upon either coast and that was indifference to the question of preparation for defense.

"I know enough of the middle west, of this great continent, to know that what they were looking for, I knew the spirit of America dwelt as much in this great section of the country as in other sections of it, and I knew that the men of these parts loved the honor and safety of America as much as Americans everywhere loved it and are ready to stand by it."

"I didn't come out to find out how you felt, or what you thought, but to tell you what was going on. I came out here in order that there might be a clarification of the issues involved, of the issues immediately confronting us, because I, for one, have an absolute faith in the readiness of America to act upon the facts just as soon as Americans know what the facts are."

## PRESIDENT PLEADED WITH RECEPTION ON TRIP JUST FINISHED

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sidewalks applauded enthusiastically as the president's car passed.

President Wilson, speaking today at a breakfast given here in his honor by the Business Men's League, said in part:

"Not only is it necessary that we should prepare to mobilize the forces of the nation, if necessary, for the defense of the country, if it should suddenly become necessary to use them for that purpose, but it is also necessary to mobilize the economic forces of this country better than they have ever been mobilized before for the service of the world after this great war. I am not looking forward to war, I am looking forward to great ardor and interest to peace and the services which this country may render the rest of the world in the times of peace and healing and restoration which will undoubtedly follow this great struggle."

"On the surface, gentlemen, there are many signs of bitterness and passion, but only on the surface. Men are in the contest with one another, but no great people ever hated another great people."

**True Instinct of Friendship.**

"I believe that underlying all the contests of the world there is a true instinct of friendship among the peoples of the world, justifying that the contests are righteous contests, based upon merit and efficiency and not based upon the seeking of unfair advantage. America is infinitely just, it is punctiliously right, in the field of business and it is with the greatest interest and hope that I have seen the many movements abroad in this country which may be illustrated by one, though not the chief one."

"You know how the advertising men of this country have banded themselves together to see that advertising is done in the truth. Now, that is an index of what is happening in America. We have upon some occasions drawn it a little strong with regard to our individual business, now we are beginning to realize that the real efficiency is in the facts as they are, because they are going to be uncovered sooner or later in the process of business. The truth is stronger and abides than any other influence in the world in the long run."

"America is now going to be called out into an international position such as she has never occupied before. For some reason that I have never understood, America has been shy about going into the great field of international competition. She has sought by one process or another, incomprehensible to me as a policy, to shut her doors against the witnesses of America with the witness of the world. I am willing to match the business capacity and the moral strength of American business men to back them against all the world."

## Must Help Finance World.

"We have left it until very recently to foreign corporations to conduct the greater part of the business in this field of exchange. We have seemed to hold off from handling the very machinery by which we are to serve the rest of the world by our commerce and the rest of the world impaled in its economic efficiency it is necessary that we should put ourselves at the service of trade and finance in all parts of the world."

"That is one of the reasons, gentlemen, why we are trying, trying so diligently, trying so patiently, to avoid being drawn into this great struggle now going on on the other side of the sea. We are not going to let the rest of the world impale us in our economic efficiency it is necessary that we should put ourselves at the service of trade and finance in all parts of the world."

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len to be at war with any of the great nations.

"Our peace is not based upon the mere convenience of our national life. For great issues we would plunge into any trouble necessary in order to defend the honor and integrity of our nation. But we believe we can show our friendship for the world and our devotion for the purposes of humanity better by keeping out of this trouble than by getting into it."

**People Really Leaders.**

"I have no indictment against any form of government, but I do not believe that the world has ever witnessed a case or ever will, where one people strive to make war upon another people. And I believe that the security of America rests in the fact that no man is master of America. We know that no man can lead whither the people do not desire to be led."

"I believe it to be my duty to subordinate all my emotions to the conscientious attempt to express in the international affairs of the world the genuine spirit of my fellow men."

"As far as America is concerned, no man need so abundantly preach peace. We are disciples of peace already and no man need preach that gospel among us."

"The danger is not from within; it is from without. And I am bound to tell you that that danger is constant and immediate, not because anything new has happened, not because there has been any change in our international relationship within the last several weeks or months, but because the danger comes with every turn of events."

"Gentlemen, the commanders of submarines have their instructions and with the law of nations, but one reckoning to put his private interpretation upon what his government wishes him to do, might set the world on fire."

"That is the danger of the seas, there are cargoes of manufactured articles on the seas, and every one of these cargoes may be the point of ignition, because every cargo comes where there are flames which no man can control."

**For Rights of Mankind.**

"We do not claim anything for ourselves which they would not under like circumstances claim for themselves. America has raised no novel issue. America has merely asserted the rights of her citizens and her good will upon what is written plain on all the documents of international intercourse. Before, America is merely standing for the rights of mankind."

"Some of these days we shall be able to call the older nations to witness that it was we who kept the quiet flame of international law burning on its altar, and the winds of passion were sweeping away every altar in the world."

"I want the record of the conduct of this administration to be a record of the true reality. You know how one group of belligerents is practically shut off by circumstances over which we have no control, from the ordinary commerce of the world."

"You know, therefore, how the spirit of America has not been able to express itself adequately in both directions, but I believe the people of America are genuinely neutral; I believe they are holding themselves not to assist either side in what is wrong, but to countenance both sides in what they are doing for legitimate defense of their national honor. Because the fortunate circumstances of America, my fellow countrymen, is that it desires nothing but a free field and no favor."

"Our security is in the purity of our motives and the minute we get an impure motive, we are going to deserve to be in trouble. The minute we desire to get into a right, then we are going to get into trouble."

"But my fellow citizens, while we know our own hearts and know our own desires, it does not follow that other nations and other governments understand our purpose and our principle of action."

"These are days of infinite prejudice and passion, because they are days of war. The peace of the world, including peace of mind, depends upon the aroused passion of other nations, and not upon the motives of the nation itself. It is for that reason that I have come to call you to a consciousness of the necessity for preparing this country for anything that might happen."

**Must Act or Suffer.**

"Now, here is the alternative. Either we shall sit still and wait for the necessity for immediate national defense to come and then call for raw volunteers, or we shall adopt the ancient American principle that the men of the country shall be made ready to take care of their own government."

"Think of the cruelty, think of the stupidity of hunting raw levies of inexperienced men into the modern field of battle."

"We are not asking for armies, we are asking for a trained citizenship which will act in the spirit of citizenship."

"Will you come, not knowing the character of the arms that you carry in your hands, knowing nothing about all those things it is necessary to know so as not to throw human life away?"

"The plans now laid before the congress of the United States are merely plans not to throw the life of American youth away. Those plans are going to be adopted. I am not jealous of the details."

"America also knows you can't send volunteers to sea unless you wish to send them to the bottom, too. The modern fighting ships must be handled by experts. America has never disputed that proposition and all we are asking for is sufficient number of experts and a sufficient number of vessels at their disposal."

"Have you ever let your imagination dwell upon the enormous stretch of coast from the canal to Alaska, from the canal to the northern end of Maine? There is no other navy in the world that has to cover so great an area."

**Navy Ought to Be Greatest.**

"And the American navy ought, in my judgment, to be immeasurably the greatest navy in the world."

"There is no politics in national defense."

"The judgment of America is not based upon sentiment but upon fact, and I say to you that nothing has encouraged me more upon this trip than the consciousness that America is awake to the fact."

"It is astonishing how little some newspaper editors know. I would like some of them to express a candid expression of the impression they have got from what they have heard since I left Washington. From the time I left Washington I have now I have had this feeling that there is not a man who does not realize what the situation is and what we ought to do to meet it."

"The strength of America is in that part of which is not vocal. The voice of America is very still, but it is a powerful voice. My constant endeavor in Washington is to hear that voice. It is a voice that all the living fortunate circumstances of the world are on the side from which you look out of the windows, you can not see the city of Washington. You see, instead, the broad fields of the world. From out those great spaces the people seem to send in their message of reassurance. That is where I believe the still voice of America and I believe that voice is brought to me in unmistakable results of the reaction of this country to do whatever is necessary to maintain its integrity or disregard the rights of the United States of America."



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## Dental Society Votes Endorsement of Baby Week

Although no action has been taken by the charter committee in regard to the naming of a dentist to a place on the board of health for the city, members of the Waco Dental society, at their meeting last night, expressed the hope that the charter revisionists would either recommend the election of a dentist or that one of the physicians be dropped in order to give a dentist representation.

The dentists also voted their approval of the Baby Week movement, March 4-11, of which Miss Roberta Wright is chairman, and had some general discussion as to taking care of the dental needs of the Methodist orphanage in this city.

On account of illness, Dr. J. C. Hall, essayist for the week, was absent, and these general discussions made up the program. The meeting was held in the office of Dr. J. F. Smart, and Dr. J. W. Murphy presided. Others present were Dr. B. R. Forman, W. S. Ferguson, M. F. Hagerup, S. M. Myers and D. A. McCall, members of the society, and Dr. J. A. Ferguson, a visitor.

## Dr. Block Tells Working Boys How Weather Is Made

Members of the Working Boys' club proved interested listeners to Dr. I. Block, meteorologist and weather observer for the Morning News, in an address last night on how weather forecasts are made, and what he failed to tell the boys originally they finally drew from him in a series of interesting questions, which he welcomed and answered readily. Through the means of small maps and charts furnished by the club, he explained the movement of atmospheric conditions affecting the weather from one section of the country to another, and before he had finished with his address the boys knew much about the causes of storms, rains, thunder and lightning, and how it is possible, several days in advance, to predict just what the state of the weather will most likely be on a certain day. The address was one of the most interesting the club has heard recently.

Miss Rubelle Jones furnished a number of popular plans, selections, and Oscar Adwan, representing the Y. M. C. A. campaign committee, set forth some of the advantages of a membership in that organization.

Seven members of the club were suspended for misconduct.

## IN THE LOCAL COURTS.

## NINETEENTH DISTRICT COURT.

Tom L. McCullough, Judge.  
Harvey M. Richey, Special Judge.  
T. M. Dilworth vs. J. E. Johnson, receivership; on trial.

## FIFTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.

Richard I. Mulroe, Judge.  
In session in Falls county.

## SEVENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.

Erwin J. Clark, Judge.  
R. V. McClain, Clerk.  
Eliza Evans vs. San Antonio & Aransas Pacific Railway company, damages; on trial.

## COUNTY COURT.

George N. Denton, Judge.  
State vs. John Donahoe, theft; plea of guilty; fined \$5.  
J. E. Wright vs. W. N. Orand, to determine right of property; jury verdict for defendant.  
O. L. Purdie vs. J. E. Wright et al, damages; on trial.

## Marriage License.

J. A. Vrbas and Miss Rose Macleod.  
R. L. Penland and Miss Grace Vivrett.  
Alma Bryant and Miss Janie Sanger.  
William Willey and Miss Ella Steinkamp.

John R. Spoon and Miss Beulah Harris.  
Ray Threlkeld and Miss Myrtle Threlkeld.  
James Williams and Oda Walker.  
H. H. Hoston and Addie Hart.  
John Green and Rebecca Littlefield.

## Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

## MILLIONS USE IT TO STOP A COLD

"PAPE'S COLD COMPOUND" ENDS SEVERE COLDS OR CRIPPLE IN FEW HOURS.

Relief comes instantly. A dose taken every two hours until three doses are taken will end grippe misery and break up a severe cold either in the head, chest, body or limbs.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages. In the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Ease your throbbing head! Nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound" which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, causes no inconvenience. Be sure you get the genuine.

## City Executive Committee Meets This Afternoon

To discuss certain matters pertaining to the democratic primary election February 15, a meeting of the city democratic executive committee will be held in the office of John K. Strecker, chairman, 309 Baker building, at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Saturday is the last day candidates can apply for a place. Ross Padgett, secretary of the committee, and Mr. Strecker will meet at the latter's office Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock with the various candidates.

Places on the ticket will be drawn at this time.

**Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days**  
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### Burial Today of George A. McLarty Former Wacoan

The body of George A. McLarty, aged 34 years, who was shot and killed Tuesday morning in Galveston, arrived here yesterday morning for burial this afternoon. The services will be held at 2:30 o'clock in the First Baptist church, Rev. J. M. Dawson officiating. Interment will be in Oakwood cemetery.

The body was accompanied to Waco by Mrs. Ellen McLarty, mother of the deceased; S. P. Ross, a cousin, and Mrs. M. H. Lane, an aunt, of Waco. Active pall bearers will be Boone Crow, Clint Fawcett, R. B. Dupree, Sam Orand, Fayette Randall and Waddie Bacon; honorary, Frank Crow, John B. McNamara, S. P. Ross, Tom Fawcett, R. B. Ross, G. E. Gurley, J. N. Gallagher and Charles Eichelberger.

#### NOTICE.

State of Texas, County of McLennan. To those indebted to or holding claims against the estate of W. T. Weaver, deceased: The undersigned,

having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of W. T. Weaver, deceased, late of McLennan county, Texas, by George N. Denton, judge of county court of said county, on January 3, 1916, at a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law in person at his office 167 1/2 Bridge street, in the city of Waco, McLennan county, Texas, or to send the same to him by mail, postoffice box 622, Waco, Texas.

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### WILLARD WILL GET \$1,583.33 A MINUTE

HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPION TO BE  
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FRANK MORAN.

Purse Declared Largest Ever Offered  
for Ten Rounds—Date Set  
for March 17.

By the Associated Press.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Jess Willard, heavyweight champion pugilist, will be paid at the rate of \$1,583.33 per minutes for his ten-round fight with Frank Moran in New York March 17. Willard signed an agreement today to meet Moran, the promoter who secured the bout, Tex Rickard and Sam McCracken of New York, agreeing to pay the champion \$47,500, with loss or draw, in addition to 51 per cent of the moving picture rights and money derived from advertising privileges.

Moran's activities in the New York ring will be recompensed at the rate of \$666.67 a minute as he will receive \$20,000 from the promoter. These sums constitute the largest purse ever offered for a ten-round contest. The champion drove a hard bargain. Tom Jones, manager for Willard, was given a check for \$2500. According to the agreement, \$20,000 is to be deposited by the promoter with Robert Vernon of New York, official stakeholder, Feb. 5 and the remaining \$25,000 is to be paid Willard 24 hours before the fight. It also was stipulated that the referee must be satisfactory to the titleholder. Jones at once wired Walter Monahan at Los Angeles to come here and take charge of the champion's training program. It was reported here that the price of seats to the contest would range from \$50 to \$25.

### Gold Footballs Given A. & M. Players

Special to the Morning News.

College Station, Feb. 3.—Members of the A. & M. football team who participated in the game between A. & M. and the University of Texas, were presented with gold footballs today by the corps of cadets and friends of the college. The gold balls bear the name of the player and the position played. On the other side in crimson and white enamel "A. & M. 13" and in yellow and white "U. of T. 13."

All men who participated in that game were given footballs. Those receiving balls were: Garrity, captain, and Kenrick, end; Crow and Settegast, tackles; Braumiller, Eschenberg and Rylander, guards; Rogers, center; Burns, quarter; Collins, Colman, Giffman and Mitchell, backs; Harlan, head coach; Graves, assistant coach, and A. C. Bull, student manager.

Men who received the secondary letters were given silver balls, with their names engraved on the ball. McMurray, fullback; Litterest, quarter; Edgar and Wilson, guards; and Munier, half back, were given these balls.

Gold footballs of honor were given to J. E. White and H. E. Kilgough, seniors this year, who have been on the squad for the past four years, but who failed to make their letters any year. Instead of giving letters to the "winners," the athletic council this year awarded these men handsome medals, to be used as watch fobs. These gold medals are to bear bars for each letter that the holder makes.

### Giant Ground Keeper Arrives in Marlin

Special to the Morning News.

Marlin, Feb. 3.—Baseball talk began today with much energy when H. Fabian, ground keeper for the New York Giants, reached Marlin and started arrangements for getting everything in readiness for training, which will start the latter part of this month.

Mr. Fabian is here in his second season with the Giants, having succeeded the late John Murphy. He is a veteran of the ball field himself, having in the past been associated with many of the leading managers, and he emphatically says that of them all McGraw is the leader in the baseball world.

### Aggies Overwhelm Bears Second Game

Special to the Morning News.

College Station, Feb. 3.—The Baylor Baptists lost to the A. & M. basketball five here again this afternoon. The final score was 41 to 6. Wilson threw Baylor's only basket. Thompson and Tinsley played fast ball for the Bears. In the last half Coach Graves used four substitutes for the Aggies.

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SOUTHWESTERN 24, SIMMONS 18.

Special to the Morning News.  
Georgetown, Feb. 3.—Southwestern university in a nip and tuck basketball game defeated Simmons college by the score of 24 to 18.

Southwestern showed good teamwork in the first half, but was hampered by fouls in the last period. Holman was given 24 free shots at the basket and only scored 4 points for the visitors. Captain Hay scored eight fouls out of sixteen times for the Methodists. L. Smith for Southwestern and Thomas for Simmons showed good form at guarding the goal.

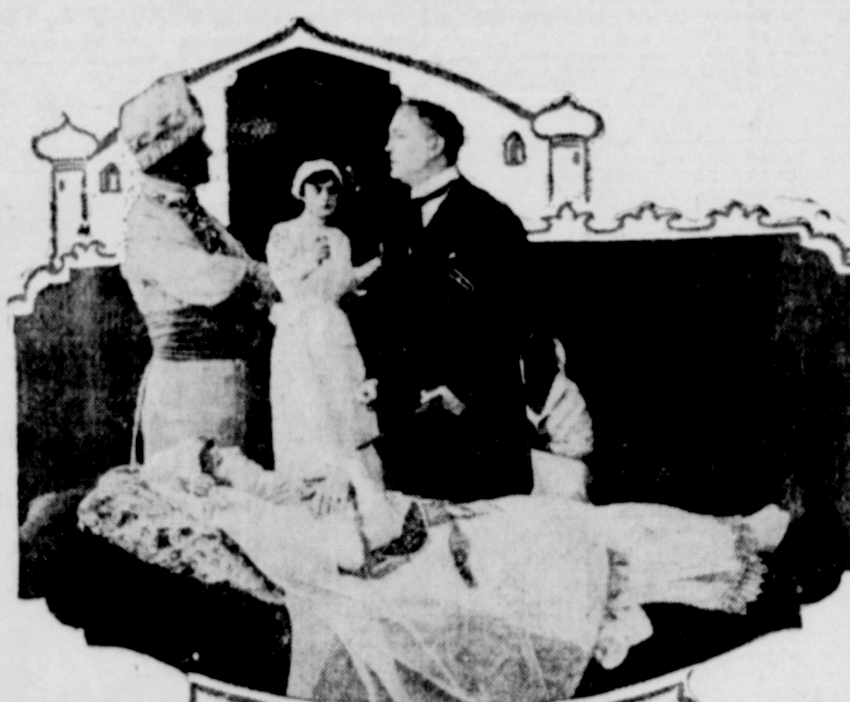
Line-up: Position. Simmons. S. W.—Hays (C).....Left forward.....Homan Quinn.....Right forward.....Hudson (C) McKenzie.....Center.....Thomas Knickerbocker.....Right guard.....Pip A. T. Smith.....Left guard.....Hughes Subs: Simmons, Johnson for Hudson, Edmonds for Johnson, S. W., Perrin for Quinn, Harris for Hay. Referee—Martin, Simmons. Time of halves, 20 minutes. Goals—S. W., Hay 4, Quinn 2, Perrin 1, McKenzie 1, fouls 5, Simmons, Hughes 2, Edmonds 1, Holman 2, Johnson 1, Hudson 1, fouls, Holman 4.

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Announces his candidacy for re-election as

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Precinct 1, place 2, subject to the action of the democratic primaries in July, 1916.

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(To succeed John Dollins)

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Precincts Nos. 1 and 4, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries, July 22.

John Dollins

Candidate for

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Subject to the action of the Democratic primary February 15.

Geo. N. Denton

Announces his candidacy for

DISTRICT JUDGE, NINETEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

(To succeed Judge McCullough). Subject to the action of the Democratic primary July 22.

LON WORTHAM

Candidate for re-election

COUNTY TREASURER

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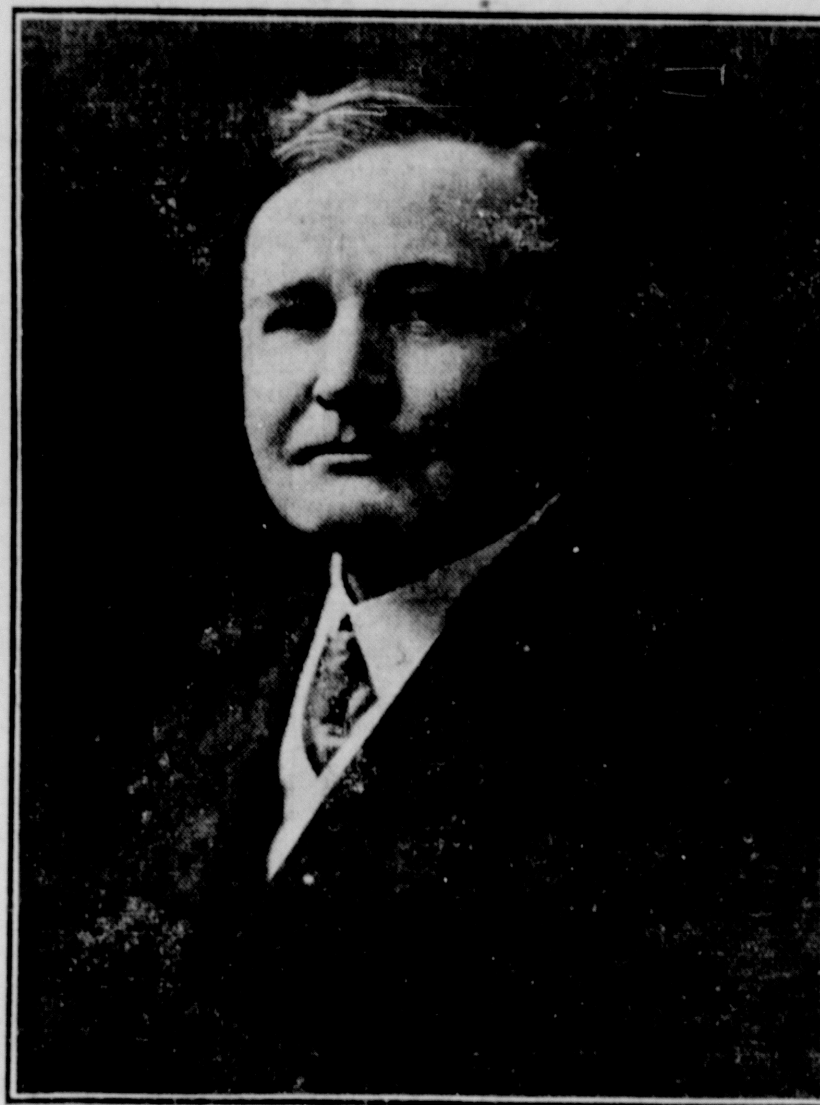
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## Dr. Groner Accepts Leadership of Baptist Sanitarium Campaign



REV. FRANK S. GRONER

Pastor of the Columbus Street Baptist church, prominent church worker of Texas, who has accepted leadership of the campaign for funds to build a Baptist sanitarium in Waco.

Dr. F. S. Groner, pastor of the Columbus street Baptist church, officially accepted the position as campaign chairman for the \$100,000 Baptist sanitarium project at a meeting of the executive committee held yesterday afternoon in the office of John F. Rowe, in the Amicable building. Already Dr. Groner has been excused by his congregation to serve in the capacity as campaign chairman.

At the meeting yesterday it was decided to begin the campaign as soon as possible, not later than two weeks from now. Efforts will be made to raise \$100,000 with which the first building will be built. Later on another campaign will be put on. Waco is the third Texas

city to get a Baptist sanitarium. Institutions of this denomination already being located in Dallas and San Antonio.

According to Dr. Groner, the campaign will be carried through the Waco association and the adjacent associations. Baptists in and near Waco are very enthusiastic over the movement and believe that it will mean a great deal for this city and it is really needed here.

With the site already purchased for the sanitarium, nothing else can be done until after the campaign has been inaugurated. The executive committee is taking into consideration plans for the building and will assist Dr. Groner in the campaign.

## City Health Department Takes Over Management of Garbage Disposal Plant

Management of the garbage disposal plant on the river near Jones street was taken over yesterday by the public health department of the municipal government. The plant will hereafter be under the constant direction of Public Health Commissioner W. H. Cockcroft and Sanitary Officer W. V. Parrish. The plant had its first day of operation under the city's management yesterday. Heretofore it has been operated by private parties under contract with the city.

Formal request from the City Federation of Women's clubs for such action was given by health department officials as the reason for the change yesterday. It was stated that under the new system it is planned to do away with all the conditions complained of by the club women. The request of the club women that the city take over the management of the garbage plant followed the sanitary survey of the city made by Mrs. Elizabeth Darwin, sanitist of the state board of health. Numbers of club women whose co-operation was enlisted with

Mrs. Darwin, accompanied her on her trip to the garbage plant, following which the federation formally memorialized the city commission to clean up the plant, stating that to do so it would be necessary for the city to take over its management. The matter was referred at that time to the public health department, which has since been working to solve the problem.

To Co-operate with Club Women.

Measures to make the plant sanitary in every respect will be inaugurated at once, according to the statement yesterday by W. V. Parrish, city sanitary officer. Mr. Parrish stated that after the plant is cleaned up, which will require several days, he will be glad to have parties of club women interested to visit the plant at any time.

"The public health department has never misconstrued the activity of the club women in the garbage plant matter," said Mr. Parrish. "We know that their efforts were for the single purpose of cleaning up the city in the effort to more thoroughly safeguard the public health. We intend to show the women that we are in thorough co-operation with them in their good work. We are going to keep the garbage disposal plant in perfect shape all the time, and will welcome inspection by those interested."

Measures for cleaning up the plant have already been put into effect, declared Mr. Parrish, the most important being the discontinuance of the practice of picking over garbage for salvage, which was prevalent under private contract management. All dead animals and animal refuse is to be disposed of as quickly as possible through the furnace. The practice of allowing bones and carcasses to lie in the open about the plant for several days will be stopped. Hogs will not be allowed on the grounds.

Under Direct Control of City.

The plant has been put in charge of an experienced white man, who is in the employ of the public health department, said Mr. Parrish. This man is under strict orders from the department to keep the place in a thoroughly sanitary condition at all times, and frequent inspections will be made by department officials.

With the aim to do away with indiscriminate skinning of dead animals throughout the city, an ordinance is being prepared for passage by the city commission which will allow dead animals to be skinned only at the garbage plant and by employees of the city. Inspection of each animal at place of death will be required, the veterinarian making out a certificate showing whether or not the animal died of a contagious disease. Animals thus shown to have died from a contagious disease will be burned at once without being skinned. City employees will be authorized to salvage the hides of animals dying from accidental or natural causes. Owners of dead animals may obtain the hides by payment of a fee to the health department for hauling and skinning the animals, and on failure to pay this fee the hides will be sold by the department.

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## Sanger Brothers

## Business Condition of Country Is Good, Says J. A. Hayman

J. A. Hayman of the firm of Lowich & Hayman, proprietors of the Franklin Street Bargain store, has returned from his annual spring buying trip to St. Louis. In St. Louis, Mr. Hayman purchased extensive stocks of up-to-date merchandise for his firm here.

Business prosperity throughout the country is reflected by the fact that factories are running night and day, said Mr. Hayman yesterday. All Texas buyers, he said, are buying heavily in the markets, which is taken as an indication of the sound condition of the business interests of this state.

Nearly all cloth and shoe lines are higher this year, on account of the shortage of dyes, said Mr. Hayman. In fact, many cloth lines have been discontinued by manufacturers.

He's Changeable. First Recruit—What do you think of the major, Bill? Second Recruit—He's a changeable kind o' block. Last night I says to 'im, "Go goes there?" and "e says, "friend," and today he 'ardly knows me."—Punch.

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